

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

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# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 3 public bills, H.R. 4013–4015 were introduced. **Page H696**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages H696–97**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed on February 9, 2012 as follows:

H.R. 3410, to require the Secretary of the Interior to conduct certain offshore oil and gas lease sales, to provide fair and equitable revenue sharing for all coastal States, to formulate future offshore energy development plans in areas with the most potential, to generate revenue for American infrastructure, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 112–395) and

H.R. 3864, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend authorities relating to the Highway Trust Fund, to provide revenues for highway programs, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 112–396 Pt. 1). **Page H696**

A report was filed today as follows:

H.R. 7, to authorize funds for Federal-aid highway, public transportation, and highway and motor carrier safety programs, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 112–397). **Page H696**

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative LaTourette to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H695**

**Quorum Calls Votes:** There were no yea-and-nay votes, and there were no recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 1 p.m. and adjourned at 1:02 p.m.

## House

No hearings were held.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2012

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

### Senate

**Committee on Armed Services:** To hold hearings to examine the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2013 and the Future Years Defense Program, 9:30 a.m., SD–G50.

**Committee on the Budget:** To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2013, 10 a.m., SD–608.

**Committee on Finance:** To hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2013, 10 a.m., SD–215.

**Committee on Foreign Relations:** Business meeting to consider S. 1023, to authorize the President to provide assistance to the Government of Haiti to end within 5 years the deforestation in Haiti and restore within 30 years the extent of tropical forest cover in existence in Haiti in 1990, S. 414, to protect girls in developing countries through the prevention of child marriage, an original resolution recognizing the importance of the United States-Egypt relationship, and urging the Government of Egypt to protect civil liberties and cease persecution of democracy activities, S. Res. 344, supporting the democratic aspirations of the Nicaraguan people and calling attention to the deterioration of constitutional order in Nicaragua, an original resolution calling for democratic change in Syria, S. Res. 342, honoring the life and legacy of Laura Pollan, and the nominations of Tara D. Sonenshine, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary for Public Diplomacy, Anne Claire Richard, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary for Population, Refugees, and Migration, Robert E. Whitehead, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Togolese Republic, Nancy J. Powell, of Iowa, to be Ambassador to India, Larry Leon Palmer, of Georgia, to be Ambassador to Barbados, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to St. Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Antigua and Barbuda, the Commonwealth of Dominica, Grenada, and Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Phyllis Marie Powers, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Republic of Nicaragua, and Jonathan Don Farrar, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Panama, all of the Department of State, and Earl W. Gast, of California, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development,

and lists in the Foreign Service, 2:15 p.m., S-116, Capitol.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* To hold hearings to examine pain in America, focusing on exploring challenges to relief, 2:30 p.m., SD-430.

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* To hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

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## CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of February 14 through February 17, 2012

### Senate Chamber

On *Tuesday*, at approximately 11 a.m., Senate will continue consideration of the nomination of Adalberto Jose Jordan, of Florida, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Eleventh Circuit.

Senate will resume consideration of S. 1813, *Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century*.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

### Senate Committees

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* February 15, business meeting to consider the nominations of Michael T. Scuse, of Delaware, to be Under Secretary for Farm and Foreign Agricultural Services, and to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation, Department of Agriculture, and Chester John Culver, of Iowa, and Bruce J. Sherrick, of Illinois, both to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation, Farm Credit Administration; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine energy and economic growth for rural America, 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.

*Committee on Armed Services:* February 14, to hold hearings to examine the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2013 and the Future Years Defense Program, 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.

February 16, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the current and future worldwide threats to the national security of the United States; with the possibility of a closed session in SVC-217 following the open session, 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* February 15, Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Protection, to hold hearings to examine pay for performance, focusing on incentive compensation at large financial institutions, 2 p.m., SD-538.

February 16, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the European debt crisis and its implications, 10 a.m., SD-538.

*Committee on the Budget:* February 14, to hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2013, 10 a.m., SD-608.

February 15, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal

year 2013 for the Department of Transportation, 10 a.m., SD-608.

February 16, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2013 and revenue proposals, 10 a.m., SD-608.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* February 16, to hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2013 for the Department of Energy, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Finance:* February 14, to hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2013, 10 a.m., SD-215.

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February 16, Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere, Peace Corps and Global Narcotics Affairs, to hold hearings to examine Iran's influence and activity in Latin America, 10 a.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* February 14, to hold hearings to examine pain in America, focusing on exploring challenges to relief, 2:30 p.m., SD-430.

February 16, Subcommittee on Employment and Workplace Safety, to hold hearings to examine addressing workforce needs at the regional level, focusing on innovative public and private partnerships, 10 a.m., SD-430.